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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application for:

Steven Teig, et al.

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ROUTES

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Examiner:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the Office action dated 08/11/2005. This extension will extend the time the response is due from 11/11/2005 to 12/12/2005 (12/11/2005 being a Sunday).

- ☒ A one month extension to 12/12/2005 is requested; the extension fee is \$120.00.
- ☒ A credit card payment form referencing docket no. SPLX.P0044 is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50 1128** referencing docket no. SPLX.P0044.

Respectfully submitted,

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